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Senior Residents Tie The Knot At Pacific Pines Apartments

LAS VEGAS, NEV – Feb. 13, 2012 – Love is in the air for Nevada HAND’s community, as two senior residents will be getting married on Monday February 13th.

68-year-old Jim Cheek and 69-year-old Mildred “Millie” Slaymaker met at Pacific Pines I Senior Apartments when the community first opened in 2005. The couple says they’ve been good friends ever since.

Jim’s first wife, also named Millie, passed away last year. Since then he and Millie Slaymaker have become closer friends, but she didn’t see the proposal coming.

“All of a sudden he got down on one knee and said will you marry me and I said sure,” said Slaymaker.

The ceremony will begin at 7:00pm inside the Pacific Pines I Community Room, located at 132 E. Pacific Avenue in Henderson. A small reception for friends and fellow residents will be held shortly after. Nevada H.A.N.D., Inc. will gift the newlyweds their wedding cake and some refreshments.

“Getting married is the thing to do. It’s like we’ve been together all our life,” said Slaymaker.

The bride will wear a long white dress with mother of pearl beads and silver buttons, which was gifted to her by a friend. The couple will exchange wedding bands during the ceremony.

Millie has asked the Property Manager and Assistant Manager at Pacific Pines I to be her maids of honor. Jim also asked a Property Manager at another Nevada HAND senior community, to be his best man. The couple says there won’t be a honeymoon, but they intend on joining households after the wedding.



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About Nevada H.A.N.D. Inc.

Formed in 1993, Nevada H.A.N.D., Inc. is a non-profit corporation with the mission to improve the lives of low-income individuals by providing affordable housing solutions and supportive services. In pursuit of this mission, Nevada HAND has grown into a full service real estate development company with the ability to design, develop, finance, construct, and manage affordable housing for rent.

As a Nevada-based non-profit organization and HUD-certified Community Housing Development Organization (CHDO), Nevada HAND finances its developments by using funds from the Nevada Low-Income Housing Tax Credit Program, HOME and Low-Income Trust Fund Program, and the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco's Affordable Housing Program. For more information about Nevada H.A.N.D., Inc., visit www.nevadahand.org

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